IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: MICHEL, et al. Docket: 2002DE142

Serial No. 10/533,999 Group Art Unit: 1796

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For: Blue Dye With Particularly High Purity And Positive

Triboelectric Control Effect

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time for responding to the Official Action dated November 24, 2008. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$130.00, or whatever fee may be required, for such an extension to Account No. 03-2060. If any additional fees are due in connection with this application, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee to deposit account 03-2060.

Respectfully submitted,

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